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**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
NEWBURGH
MAINE**

INCORPORATED MARCH 13, 1819



FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR

1986 — 1987

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

REGINALD ELWELL JR.

Town Clerk

LOIS LIBBY

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor

TERRANCE WHITCOMB

GALEN HAMILTON

ANDREW WATSON

1st Selectman's Phone — 234-2490

Treasurer

SHIRLEY BURGESS

Tax Collector

LOIS LIBBY — 234-4151

Constable

CHARLES MOGAN

Health Officer

BARBARA MURRAY

Registrar of Voters

LOIS LIBBY

Sexton

CHARLES MOGAN

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This Town Report is dedicated to

LEON and MAXINE LEAVITT

for their many years of dedication to the people of Newburgh

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

Real Estate Resident	\$ 14,457,827
Real Estate Non-Resident	975,871

	\$ 15,433,698
Personal Real Estate Resident	\$ 145,590
Personal Real Estate Non-Resident	4,349

	\$ 149,939

	\$ 15,583,637

$$15,583,637 \times .0126 = \$196,353.82$$

ASSESSMENTS

County Tax	\$ 11,867.80
Municipal Appropriation	84,135.00
Educational Appropriation	181,046.24
Overlay	8,756.61

	\$285,805.65

Allowable Deductions

State Municipal Revenue Sharing	\$ 32,951.83
Other Revenue	56,500.00

	\$ 89,451.83

Net Assessment for Commitment	\$196,353.82
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APPROPRIATIONS — 1986

Roads & Bridges — Summer	\$ 25,000.00
Roads & Bridges — Winter	14,500.00
Support of Poor	2,500.00
Abatements	500.00
Civil Defense	500.00
Administration	300.00
Fire Dept. (Maintenance)	3,500.00
Fire Insurance	2,500.00
Fire Chief (Honorarium)	500.00
Fire Dept. (Personal Equipment)	500.00
Fire Dept. (Maintain & Update Equipment) ..	3,000.00
Care of Cemeteries	2,000.00
Garbage & Trash Disposal	21,500.00
Septic Sludge	700.00
Summer Program	3,000.00
Hampden Little League	200.00
Cemetery Assoc. Compensation	50.00
Comprehensive Plan Update	3,000.00
Eastern Area Agency on Aging	135.00
Eastern Transportation Services	250.00
Support of Schools	127,046.24

	\$211,181.24

APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED 1987

Support of Schools	
Bickford Trust Fund	\$ 2,000.00
Knowlton Trust Fund	2,000.00
Excise Tax	50,000.00

	\$ 54,000.00
Roads & Bridges — Summer	
Bickford Trust Fund	\$ 2,000.00
Taxation	50,000.00

	\$ 52,000.00
Roads & Bridges — Winter	
From Fed. Rev. Sharing	\$ 10,000.00
Taxation	21,200.00

	\$ 31,200.00
General Assistance	\$ 2,500.00
Abatements	500.00
Administration	300.00
Care of Cemeteries	2,000.00
Disposal of Trash & Garbage	25,000.00
Disposal of Septic Sludge	950.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The Selectmen would like to take this opportunity to welcome all our new citizens who are reading this Town Report for the first time.

The Town entered into a ten year trash disposal contract with Sawyer Environmental and P.E.R.C. The cost to be \$17 a ton. Our current contract to pick up the trash with Smith's has one more year.

The winter road contract with M-C-M Construction has one year left. For this next winter season we have proposed an increase of 600 yards of sand and 25 % more salt per yard. This is due to the fact we have run short the last two years. Sand and salt storage will be one of the major problems to deal with in the next two years. The D.E.P. has proposed that all storage facilities must be covered by a building. Also any new stock piles must be under cover. This could be a major cost to the town.

The Federal Revenue Sharing program ended. This means a loss of \$12,000 to the town. This will have to be made up by taxation.

A number of people have expressed an interest to have the town professionally evaluated. The cost is approximately \$19,500 for a total reevaluation. The article is to give you the voters the opportunity to make this decision.

We thank you for giving us the opportunity to serve you and hope to see you all at town meeting.

Board of Selectmen

SELECTMEN'S REPORT Account with Lois Libby

Uncollected Feb. 15, 1987	\$ 11,602.84
1986 Commitment	\$196,353.82
Supplementary	87.75
Tax Adjustment	54.29

	\$196,495.86
Paid by Collector to Treasurer	\$169,257.96
Supplementary Tax	87.75
Abatements	183.33
Tax Discounts	2,656.62
Veteran's Tax	12,707.36

	\$184,893.02
1986 Uncollected Taxes Feb. 15, 1987	\$ 11,602.84

ROADS — SUMMER

Appropriation	\$ 25,000.00
Bickford Trust Fund	3,263.50

Expended by Town	\$ 28,263.50
	22,161.87

Unexpended	\$ 6,101.63

ROADS — WINTER

Appropriation	\$ 14,500.00
Transferred from Fed. Rev. Sharing	15,000.00

Expended	\$ 29,500.00
	30,955.35

Overdraft	\$ 1,455.35

PAVED ROADS (STATE)

Balance Forward	\$ 4,004.06
State of Maine	25,157.50
Other	161.92

Expended	\$ 29,323.48
	23,780.40

Unexpended Balance Forward	\$ 5,543.08

SCHOOLS

Appropriation	\$127,046.24
Bickford Trust Fund	3,263.50
Knowlton Trust Fund	3,497.50
From Excise Tax	50,000.00

Expended by Town	\$183,807.24
	184,128.29

Overdraft	\$ 321.05

GENERAL ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	\$ 2,500.00
Expended	1,639.67

Unexpended	\$ 860.33

ABATEMENTS

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Abatements	467.34

Unexpended	\$ 32.66

ADMINISTRATION

Appropriation	\$ 300.00
Receipts from State	
Municipal Revenue Sharing	29,507.55
Snowmobile Tax	642.00
Tree Growth Tax	322.54
Veteran's Tax Reimbursement	21.40
Airplane Tax	195.47
Conservation Reimbursement	137.50
D.E.P.	50.00
Misc. Receipts:	
Interest on Cemetery Trust Funds	1,136.25
Dog License Fees	330.00
Firearm Permits	115.00
Duncan Jordan—Building Permits	866.00
Interest on Savings	2,470.43
Newburgh Cemetery Assoc.	100.00
Liberty Mutual Insurance Co.	84.00
Junkyard Permits	250.00
Newburgh Summer Rec. Program	1,600.00
Excise Tax	63,789.56
Supplementary Tax	87.75
Interest	2,245.73
Boat Excise	1,056.10
Overlay	8,756.61

Transferred to School Acct.	\$ 50,000.00
Town's Contribution to Soc. Sec.	921.18
Cemetery Trust Funds to Cemetery Assoc.	1,136.25
State Revenue Sharing to Taxes	29,507.55
Transferred to Snowmobile Club	648.00

	\$ 82,212.98

	\$ 11,049.81

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

Bangor Daily News	\$ 30.03
Forest Rogers	15.00
Terry Whitcomb	48.00
Andrew Watson	15.00
Unity Telephone Co.	154.45
Penobscot Times—Town Reports	618.00
Debbie Whitcomb—Posting Warrants	20.00
Reed Paper Co. Flags	113.76
Maine Municipal Assoc. Dues	682.00
Newburgh PTF	9.00
Radio Systems	875.00

	\$ 8,039.49

FIRE DEPT. EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Expended by Town	3,000.00

FIRE DEPT. PERSONAL EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Expended by Town	500.00

FIRE DEPT. INSURANCE

Appropriation	\$ 2,500.00
Expended by Town	2,500.00

FIRE DEPT. MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 3,500.00
Expended by Town	3,500.00

CIVIL DEFENSE ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Expended by Town	500.00

PERPETUAL CARE OF CEMETERIES

Transferred to Key Bank	\$ 100.00
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CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
Trust Fund Interest	1,434.12

Expended by Town	\$ 3,434.12
	3,434.12

COMPENSATION FOR CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Appropriation	\$ 50.00
Expended	50.00

WASTE DISPOSAL ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 21,500.00
Expended	20,786.82

Unexpended	\$ 713.18

SEPTIC SLUDGE

Appropriation	\$ 700.00
Expended	950.00

Overdraft	\$ 250.00

NEWBURGH SUMMER SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Expended	3,000.00

PLANNING BOARD ACCOUNT

Balance Forward	\$ 970.12
Appropriation	3,000.00

Expended	\$ 3,970.12
	1,122.50

Unexpended Balance Forward	\$ 2,847.62

HAMPDEN LITTLE LEAGUE ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$ 200.00
Expended	200.00

EASTERN AREA AGENCY ON AGING

Appropriation	\$ 135.00
Expended	135.00

EASTERN TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Appropriation	\$ 250.00
Expended	250.00

COUNTY TAX ACCOUNT

Assessed	\$ 11,867.80
Paid County Treasurer	11,867.80

SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT

Received from Town Employees	\$ 934.45
Town's Contribution	921.18
Paid Maine State Retirement	\$ 1,855.63

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING ACCOUNT

Balance Forward	\$ 18,231.51
U.S. Treasury	5,434.00
Interest	1,290.41
Transferred to Winter Roads	\$ 24,955.96
	15,000.00
Unexpended Balance Forward	\$ 9,955.96

TAX LIEN ACCOUNT

1985 Tax Liens	\$ 6,363.47
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TAX LIEN ACCOUNT**1985**

Alan & Nancy Craven	\$ 491.93
Heirs of Ruth Crouch	250.37
Carroll & Sherry DeWitt	335.77
Austin & Donna Ellis	59.75
Brice Gould	52.12

Richard Hamel	319.30
David & Margaret Herard	404.40
Irving Leighton	138.13
Davis Madore	101.49
Donald & Lorita Mayo	286.06
Timothy Norris	511.45
Raymond Porter	155.82
David & Cynthia Prescott	49.07
Heirs of Earl Prescott	251.59
Lucille Veinote & Heirs of Dennis Veinote	691.40

	\$ 4,098.65
Tax Acquired Property	\$ 3,976.07

Tax Liens Held by the Town	
February 15, 1987	\$ 8,074.72
Tax Liens Held by the Town	
February 15, 1986	\$ 7,557.39

TOWN OWNED PROPERTY

Assessed Valuation	\$144,250.00
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WARRANTS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN

Administration	\$ 26,363.72
Paved Roads	23,780.40
Summer Roads	22,161.87
Winter Roads	30,955.35
Waste Disposal	20,786.82
School Account	184,128.20
Newburgh Summer School Program	3,000.00
Tax Lien Account	6,363.47
Cemetery Account	3,434.12
Compensation for Cemetery Assoc.	50.00
Perpetual Cemetery Care	100.00
Planning Board	1,122.50
Septic Sludge	950.00
Eastern Transportation Services	250.00
Eastern Area Agency on Aging	135.00
Fire Dept. Maintain & Update Equipment	3,000.00
Hampden Little League	200.00
County Tax	11,867.80

Newburgh Vol. Fire Dept. Personal Equip.	500.00
Fire Dept. Maintenance Account	3,500.00
Fire Dept. Insurance Account	2,500.00
Civil Defense Account	500.00
Social Security Account	1,855.63
General Assistance Account	1,639.67
Abatements	467.34

	\$352,094.26
Total Receipts	\$355,450.59
Cash on Hand Feb. 15, 1986	76,098.47

	\$431,549.06
Less Warrants	\$352,094.26

Cash on Hand Feb. 15, 1987	\$ 79,454.80

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Cash on Hand Feb. 15, 1987	\$ 79,454.80
1986 Taxes	11,602.84
Tax Liens	6,363.47

Total Resources	\$ 97,421.11

Respectfully submitted,
 TERRANCE WHITCOMB
 GALEN HAMILTON
 ANDREW WATSON

TREASURER'S REPORT

February 15, 1986 — February 15, 1987

Cash on Hand February 15, 1986 \$ 76,098.47

Received from Lois Libby, Tax Collector:

1986 Excise	\$ 58,157.29
1987 Excise	5,632.27
1985 Taxes	5,344.04
1986 Taxes	169,257.96
1985 Interest	556.09
1986 Interest	1,689.64
1985 Exempt Veterans	118.65
1986 Exempt Veterans	12,707.36
Supplementary	87.75
1984 Boat Excise	10.00
1985 Boat Excise	34.40
1986 Boat Excise	1,015.10
1987 Boat Excise	41.00
Tax Liens	6,363.47
Certified Mailing Fees	28.02
Overpayment	103.00
Abatements	244.77
Discount on 1986 Taxes	2,656.62

	\$264,047.43

Income from Trust Funds:

Leroy Bickford Fund	\$ 6,527.00
Amos Knowlton Fund	3,497.50
Cemetery Trust Funds	1,136.25
Alma Bicknell Memorial Fund	21.32

	\$ 11,182.07

Received from State of Maine:

Municipal Revenue Sharing	\$ 32,004.49
D.O.T. Local Road Assistance	25,157.50
Snowmobile Registration Refund	642.00
Tree Growth Tax	322.54
D.E.P. Refund	50.00
Fire Reimbursement	137.50
Excise Tax Reimbursement	195.47
Veteran's Exemption	21.40

	\$ 58,530.90

Received from U.S. Treasury:

Revenue Sharing	\$ 5,434.00
Interest	1,290.45

	\$ 6,724.45

Tax Liens Paid:

Francis Brey	\$ 35.99
Alan & Nancy Craven	685.16
Austin & Donna Ellis (on acct.)	80.00
Brice Gould	61.60
Arnold Gray	148.71
Richard Hamel	345.04
Adrienne Langway	296.89
Ernest Lindsey	519.00
David & Freda O'Donald	1,251.33
Kenneth Reardon	2,093.51
Roseanne Robinson	1,212.39
Earle & Eva Scripture	388.56
Travis Thomas	66.74
Paul Veinote	331.61
Robert Veinote, Jr. (abatement)	117.97
Fred Wain	397.44

	\$ 8,031.94

Miscellaneous Receipts:

Dog Licenses	\$ 332.00
Building Permits	866.00
Cemetery Trust Funds	100.00
Interest on Savings	2,470.43
Firearms Permits	115.00
Culvert	161.92
Insurance Refund	84.00
Summer Recreation Dept. Refund	1,600.00
Social Security (Employees)	934.45
Junkyard Permit	250.00
Wood	20.00

	\$ 6,933.80

Total Receipts: \$431,549.06

Less Warrents Drawn	\$352,094.26
Cash on Hand	79,454.80

	\$431,549.06

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1986 UNPAID TAXES

Bartlett, Gerald	\$ 233.10
Buttitta, Lydia	213.91
Conners, Rodney & Pamela	69.93
Craven, Alan & Nancy	482.58
Craven, Evelyn	370.84
Devine, Peter & Maureen	514.39
DeWitt, LeRoy & Constance	478.80
Ellis, Austin & Donna	100.80
Guerrette, Donald	97.78
Hamel, Richard	304.29
Harnish, David	147.04
Hart, James & Joyce	378.31
Hayward, Elmer (Heirs of)	26.07
Lawrence, Richard & Barbara	115.29
Leighton, Irving	117.18
Mayo, Donald & Lorita	269.96
Norris, Timothy	502.74
O'Donald, David & Freda	323.19
Penobscot Valley Coon Hunters Club	70.56
Phillips, Darrell	292.95
Phillips, Darrell & Heirs of H. Lawrence	28.35
Porter, Newell	463.68
Porter, Raymond	135.45
Prescott, David & Cynthia	25.20
Prescott, Earl (Heirs of)	172.62
Ritchie, Russell	343.35
Rines, Dennis	146.44
Ross, Ronald	88.20
Sawyer, Clarence & Pamela	128.40
Scripture, Earl & Eva	282.18
Smith, Brian & Ann	378.00
Smith, Douglas & Donna	108.99
Tapley Pools Inc.	336.42
Toothaker, Roger	102.06
Toothaker, Vernon	26.46
Torrey, Milton II	301.77
Turner, Michael	125.05
Veinote, Lucille & Heirs of Dennis Veinote	688.59

Veinote, Paul	221.13
Wain, Fred	343.35
Westcott, David	359.10
Wilson, Wade & Denise	428.40

NON-RESIDENTS

Gould, Brice	\$ 28.35
Gould, Bruce	292.89
Leavitt, Susie	179.55
Porter, Evelyn	119.07
Query, Adrian	103.32
Young, Ivan	22.05

VETERANS

Herard, David & Margaret	\$ 392.17
Ross, Donald	122.54

Total Outstanding 1986 Taxes	\$ 11,602.84
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1986 TAXES RECEIVED AFTER TOWN BOOKS CLOSED

Buttitta, Lydia	\$ 213.91
Lawrence, Richard & Barbara	115.29
Torrey, Milton II	301.77
Phillips, Darrell	292.95
Phillips, Darrell & Heirs of H. Lawrence	28.35

Respectfully submitted,
 LOIS E. LIBBY
 Tax Collector
 Newburgh, Me.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

I herewith submit the following report of Vital Statistics for the year 1986:

Births recorded	10
Deaths	13
Marriages	5

BIRTHS

1. Benjamin A. Rideout	2/15/86
2. Tristan P. Swallow	3/1/86
3. Allison M. Veinote	3/10/86
4. Robert W. Peck	4/11/86
5. Adam M. Ross	5/8/86
6. Tonya S. Sibley	7/10/86
7. Allison M. Ziegler	7/24/86
8. Diana M. Lane	8/22/86
9. Michael T. Trimm	9/2/86
10. Trainor Z. Kapler	10/2/86

DEATHS

1. Nellie I. Badger	Age 92	1/5/86
2. Florence E. Dow	Age 77	1/21/86
3. William J. Smith	Age 40	2/4/86
4. Christina A. McKenna	Age 25	3/4/86
5. Laura B. Getchell	Age 79	3/11/86
6. Inza M. Martin	Age 82	5/7/86
7. Belle A. Porter	Age 87	6/18/86
8. Leonard A. Burbee	Age 54	8/12/86
9. Sterline R. Dow	Age 68	10/27/86
10. Bernice M. Downes	Age 86	11/6/86
11. Donald W. Willey	Age 77	11/10/86
12. Bernard C. Stout Jr.	Age 50	11/21/86
13. Emeroy Toothaker	Age 60	11/22/86

DOG LICENSES

84 Males at \$6.50	\$546.00
33 Females at \$6.50	214.50
131 Sp. Females at \$3.00	393.00
35 N. Males at \$3.00	105.00
7 Kennels at \$16.00	112.00
1 Kennel at \$31.00	31.00

	\$ 1,401.50

Dog License Fees Retained
by Town

332.00

\$ 1,069.50

Total Amount Paid Maine
State Treasurer

778.50

Town Clerk's Fees

\$291.00

Respectfully submitted,
LOIS E. LIBBY
Newburgh Town Clerk

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Dear Residents,

As most of you have seen we are trying to do the best we can to maintain the roads of our town. But it is a losing battle that we are not going to win without help. As most of you have already seen we have asked for an increase in monies for the summer roads account. Unless you want to ride on rougher roads in years to come I hope you see fit to vote for that article as written.

We intend to resurface paved roads this year as best we can with the money we have. Last year we replaced 23 culverts, resurfaced approximately 7.5 miles of dirt roads and cut brush the entire length of the Lindsey Road.

We are not Road Engineers and don't claim to be. If anybody would like to try their hand at Road Commissioners, we as Selectmen would appreciate their help or advice from any Professionals on this matter.

We would like to remind people it is a State Law that putting any obstruction in a Public Right of Way is illegal, meaning snow, cars, trees, etc. And from now on any car left beside the road during snowstorms will be towed at owner's expense.

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW WATSON
GALEN HAMILTON

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Newburgh Volunteer Fire Department had a quiet and productive year. The Department responded to 8 calls during 1986. The painting and body work on the tanker was completed and we are now up to date on equipment. Our beano profits were over \$4,000.00 in 1986. However, we have been forced to discontinue running beano because of a lack of volunteers. We just cannot expect the same two dozen people to work month after month on a project which benefits a community of twelve hundred people. There have been repeated requests for help in this area in this report over the past several years with no substantial results.

A firemen's ball was not held in 1986, but there are plans to try to hold one in 1987. Some other fund raising projects are also being considered at this time to replace the income from beano, but again it takes people to work on these projects.

It has been suggested within the department that our next project should be the purchase of some sort of utility vehicle which would carry the extra equipment; hats, boots, coats and pumps. It would also provide a place for the firemen to get in under cover and keep warm during the winter months. This will be the goal of some of our future fund raising efforts.

There is one area which several of our volunteers feel needs to be addressed at this time. Almost everyone answers the fire call and attends the fires, however, the work of the Fire Department is not over when the fire is extinguished. Help is needed in mopping up afterwards. The trucks have to be refilled, the hoses loaded and the equipment put away. It is very disheartening to fight a fire for several hours and then have only a few people to help get everything loaded on the trucks and back to the fire house. This is especially true at night fires when everyone disappears as soon as the fire is out, leaving a handful of people to do the cleaning up. It could go twice as fast with a few more hands helping. Remember the fire is not over until the trucks are back in the fire house and the equipment put away.

The Fire Department meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30. It is listed on the community calendar. It is your Fire Department. Come and help make some of the decisions and learn about the equipment. All of the equipment in the world can't fight a fire without volunteers who know how to use it.

If you have any questions about meetings or training sessions, any of the following officers can be contacted.

The officers for 1987 are:

Wayne Young	President
Ronald Darling	Vice President
Jack Lamie	Treasurer
Linda Hamilton	Secretary
Michael Chadbourne	Fire Chief

Respectfully submitted,
LINDA HAMILTON, Secretary

NEWBURGH VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1986

INCOME

Town Appropriation	\$ 10,000.00
Donations	550.00
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Total	\$ 10,550.00

EXPENSES

Bangor Hydro	\$ 649.51
Insurance	4,539.00
Miscellaneous	79.45
Red Network	420.00
Telephone	136.15
Truck Maintenance	3,908.95
Gas	242.19
Heating Oil	1,269.04
Equipment & Maintenance	1,760.66
Emergency Fund	2,000.00
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Total	\$ 15,004.95
Balance in Checking Account 2/9/87	\$ 330.59

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The Newburgh Planning Board held twelve regular and four special meetings during the 1986-87 year. In response to the charge given the Board at the 1986 Town Meeting, we worked on revising the Newburgh Comprehensive Plan. We have contracted with the Penobscot Valley Council of Governments for assistance in this endeavor. Preliminary work has been done to update the various statistical data included in the Plan, and a survey of town residents is being conducted to determine the direction of the goals and recommendations to be incorporated. Work still to be done includes analysis of the survey, completion of statistical summaries, maps, graphs, etc., and writing of the goals and recommendations. The Board would appreciate receiving suggestions from the townspeople on what to include as goals and recommendations. Several discussion items are listed below.

Respectfully submitted,
NEWBURGH PLANNING BOARD

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

- commercial/industrial zones
- rural zones
- cluster housing
- multi-family housing units
- mobile home parks
- road reconstruction
- development densities
- growth rate
- post office

CEMETERY COMMITTEE REPORT

Another year has passed, we hope everyone was happy, in regard to the care of the cemeteries. It was a very hard summer, as the grass grew so fast, as it was, they were mowed thirteen times.

The Committee spent several hours in the Chapman Cemetery to get the information needed for the new map, which Roger Luce is now working on. Also we started to do some work in the Hill Cemetery, toward getting a map of the 50 ft. addition. We try to do our best, with what money we have to work with. We doubt if a lot of people realize how much time is spent working with people, answering questions, traveling to cemeteries to measure lots, showing relatives where someone is buried, etc. This is volunteer work.

CEMETERY FINANCIAL REPORT 1986

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1986	\$ 942.43
Perpetual Care	250.00
Sale of Lots	225.00
Appropriation	2,000.00
Interest from Perpetual Care	1,434.12
Interest from Whitney Trust Fund	204.70
Compensation	50.00
 Total	 \$ 5,106.25
 Expended	 3,683.93
 Unexpended Feb. 15, 1987	 \$ 1,422.32

Respectfully submitted,
NANCY CRAVEN
PAULINE TOOTHAKER
VERNICE NEWCOMB
HELEN MOGAN
ROGER LUCE

TOWN OF NEWBURGH
Year Ending February 15, 1987

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Hill Cemetery

Leonette Bard	\$ 50.00
Claud & Edythe Bates	100.00
Harold Curtis	100.00
Chester Emerson	100.00
Fred Glidden	50.00
James Glidden	50.00
Doris & Stuart Hatch	200.00
Orville Holmes	50.00
Guy & Elmyra Kimball	125.00
David & Percy King	200.00
Frank King	125.00
M. Elizabeth Knight	100.00
Charles & Barbara Lindsey	100.00
Ernest & Emily Lindsey	100.00
Frank Page	50.00
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	\$ 1,500.00

Leavitt Cemetery

Ebenezer Bickford Sr.	\$ 100.00
Benjamin Bussey	50.00
Jabez & Amos Knowlton	500.00
Gideon Leavitt	100.00
Dudley & Sarah Miles	100.00
Benjamin W. Peabody	100.00
Jefferson Smith	50.00
James Thomas	150.00
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	\$ 1,150.00

Arnold's Corner Cemetery

Herbert & Evelyn Lakeman	\$ 100.00
Lloyd Marcho	225.00
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	\$ 325.00

Bickford Cemetery

Edwin Bickford	\$ 100.00
George Bickford	500.00
Bernie Bridham	200.00
Merrill Gerow	100.00
Lydia J. Kneeland	200.00
John Luce	100.00
Robert Veinote, Sr.	100.00

	\$ 1,300.00

Knowlton Cemetery

Wallace & Nellie Badger	\$ 100.00
Erwin & June Bates	100.00
Susan Bickford	1,000.00
Felix & Beatrice Blinn	100.00
Samuel Bridgam	100.00
Roy & Marjorie Chadbourne	100.00
George & Sara Clements	100.00
Theodore & Dorothy Clements	200.00
Levi & Alice Dunivan	150.00
Robert Downs	100.00
Levi Edminster	100.00
Croxford & C. Folsom	200.00
Maurice & Lilla Foster	100.00
William & Rena Goodrich	100.00
Eldon & Christine Hamilton	100.00
Donald H. Hamilton	100.00
Flora Jenkins	100.00
Orrin D. & Mary F. Whitcomb Kimball	200.00
John & Mary Leavitt	100.00
Robert Leavitt	100.00
William Dunivan & Fred Leavitt	100.00
Edward & Cleora McCoy	150.00
Harvey & Ada Mitchell	100.00
Alma & Harry Norton	150.00
Moses Parsons	100.00
Percy Porter	100.00
Richard Porter	150.00
Walter & Dolly Smith	250.00
Dudley & Mary F. Toothaker	200.00
Reginald & Pauline Toothaker	100.00
Howard & Estelle Whitcomb	100.00

	\$ 4,750.00

Chapman Cemetery

Clarence Baker	\$ 200.00
Aimee Blaisdell	1,000.00
Dorothy Braley	100.00
Clifton & Beatrice Chapman	100.00
Clifton & Iva Chapman	150.00
George & Dorothy Chapman	100.00
Harry & Clara Chapman	200.00
Lewis Cooke	100.00
Alan & Nancy Craven	200.00
Arthur Day	100.00
Montford Downs	50.00
Fred Tribou & Leonard Gillis	200.00
Elmer Grant	600.00
Helena Green	100.00
J. F. Hussey	150.00
Axel Jolander	100.00
Andrew Knight	100.00
Harold Lawrence	100.00
Leonard Fund	50.00
Charles Mudgett	100.00
C. W. Morse	500.00
Scott & Helen Nealley	100.00
Elisha Newcomb	50.00
Mary N. Newcomb	100.00
Granville Newcomb	200.00
Eleanor Noyes	150.00
Faustina Parsons	100.00
Claire Perkins	100.00
Ira Ryder	100.00
Charles H. Smith	100.00
Helen Smith	200.00
John Stevenson	100.00
Alton Toothaker	150.00
Charles & Delilah Toothaker	200.00
Frank E. Walker	75.00
Lester Ward	200.00
A. W. Whitcomb	100.00
Chandler Whitcomb	200.00
Evelyn Young	100.00
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	\$ 6,625.00

Hill Cemetery	\$ 1,500.00
Leavitt Cemetery	1,150.00
Arnold's Corner Cemetery	325.00
Bickford Cemetery	1,300.00
Knowlton Cemetery	4,750.00
Chapman Cemetery	6,625.00

	\$ 15,650.00
Interest Drawn on Cemetery Accounts	\$ 1,136.25
Alma Bicknell Memorial Fund Interest	3.46
Amos Knowlton Fence Fund Interest	85.63

AUDITOR'S REPORT

March 20, 1986

Board of Selectmen
Town of Newburgh
Newburgh, Me. 04444

Gentlemen,

I have examined the financial statements of the town of Newburgh for the year ended February 15, 1986. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion the financial statements listed in this report present fairly the financial position of the town.

Very truly yours,
C. A. HAMILTON, Auditor

TOWN OF NEWBURGH, MAINE
Year Ended February 15, 1986

COMMENTS

GENERAL: (Selectmen) —

The records of the selectmen were examined and found to have been properly handled.

CASH: (Treasurer) —

The records of the town Treasurer were examined and found to have been properly handled. The trust funds, bank pass books were found in accordance with the terms of the trusts and the town operations.

TAXES: (Tax Collector) —

The Tax Collectors accounts were examined and all reports were handled properly.

CLERK: (Town Clerk) —

The records of the Town Clerk were examined and all the recordings were in order as required.

ASSESSORS:

The records of the Assessors were reviewed with the commitment records and found to have been properly handled.

TOWN OF NEWBURGH, MAINE
Year Ended February 15, 1986

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET — GENERAL FUNDS

ASSETS	2/15/86	2/15/85
Cash —		
Checking Account	\$ 16,968.60	\$ 14,899.53
Savings Account	40,898.57	26,494.85
Fed. Rev. Shar. Fund	18,358.25	16,656.15
Taxes Receivable	11,826.16	15,103.57
Tax Liens Receivable	4,369.96	6,444.65
Tax Acquired Property (1)	3,187.43	4,042.10
Cemetery Trust Fund	15,550.00	15,050.00
Town Owned Property	144,250.00	144,250.00
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	\$255,408.97	\$242,940.85
 LIABILITIES AND UNAPPROPRIATED:		
Cemetery Trust Fund	\$ 15,550.00	\$ 15,050.00
Town Owned Property	144,250.00	144,250.00
Appropriated	25,168.57	8,443.22
Unappropriated	70,440.40	75,197.63
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	\$255,408.40	\$242,940.85

Notes—(1) Tax Acquired Property is based on the amount of matured tax lien and not on assessed values.

TOWN OF NEWBURGH, MAINE
Year Ended February 15, 1986

Exhibit "C"

STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS

	Balance 2/15/85	Appro- priations	Cash Receipts	Other Credits	Total Available	Disbursements	Transfers	Unexpended	Overdraft	Balance 2/15/86
GENERAL GOVERNMENTS:										
Administration	3,000.00	104,271.62			104,571.62	26,817.06	70,762.36	6,992.20		
PROTECTION:										
Fire Dep. Maint. Acct.	3,500.00				3,500.00	3,500.00				
Fire Dep. C.D. Acct.	500.00				500.00	500.00				
Fire Dep. Ins. Acct.	2,200.00				2,200.00	2,200.00				
Fire Dep. Equip. Acct.	3,000.00				3,000.00	3,000.00				
Fire Chief Acct.	500.00				500.00	500.00				
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:										
State Aid Road Acct.	4,467.10	20,000.00	472.35	23,422.50	27,889.60	23,885.54	4,004.06			
Summer Road Acct.			2,160.00	22,632.35	22,609.38	22.97				
Winter Road Acct.	16,800.00	164.32	13,000.00	29,964.32	29,426.75	537.57				
HEALTH & SANITATION:										
Solid Waste Acct.	17,800.00				17,800.00	19,412.21				
Septic Sludge Acct.	500.00				500.00	500.00				
General Assistance	2,000.00				2,000.00	1,819.15				
EDUCATION:										
Schools	115,872.22	6,000.08	40,000.00	161,872.30	159,909.42	1,962.88				1,962.88
UNCLASSIFIED:										
County Tax										
Fed. Rev. Shar. Acct.	15,656.15	15,575.36	10,313.35	10,313.35	10,313.35	13,000.00	18,231.51			
Planning Board Acct.	976.12				31,231.51	976.12				
Care of Cemeteries		2,000.00		1,339.30	3,339.30	3,339.30				
Cemetery Comm. Comp.		50.00			50.00	50.00				
Social Security Acct.										
Hampden Little League	200.00				200.00	200.00				
Comm. Health & Counseling										
Surveyors Acct.	3,000.00	570.00			3,570.00	3,570.00				
Summer Sch. Program		2,400.00			2,400.00	2,400.00				
Abatement Acct.		500.00			500.00	186.05				
Bickford Fund			4,320.00		4,320.00	4,320.00				
Knowlton Fund			3,840.08		3,840.08	3,840.08				
Perpetual Care of Cemeteries			500.00		500.00	500.00				
	24,099.37	189,392.20	136,009.20	91,100.54	440,601.33	316,574.99	92,422.44	33,216.11		
								1,612.21	1,612.21	
										25,168.57
										31,603.90

TOWN WARRANT

State of Maine

County of Penobscot

To Deborah Whitcomb, a resident of the Town of Newburgh of said County.

Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Newburgh, qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Newburgh Elementary School on Saturday, the 14th day of March, 1987 at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose three or more Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, for the ensuing year and fix their compensation.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to act as Road Commissioners, if not to determine the number of Road Commissioners the Town shall have. Elect the same and fix their compensation.

Art. 5. To choose a Treasurer of the Town and fix his or her compensation.

Art. 6. To see what action the Town will take relative to the collection of taxes and elect a Tax Collector and fix his or her compensation.

Art. 7. To elect an Excise Tax Collector and fix his or her compensation.

Art. 8. To choose a Registrar of Voters and fix his or her compensation.

Art. 9. To fix the compensation of the Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To choose two Planning Board members for a term of three years each, and three alternate members for a term of one year each.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint all the other necessary Town Officers.

Art. 12. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regards to uncollected taxes for 1986.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to give a 3% discount on all 1987 taxes paid in full on or before July 5, 1987 and to charge interest at the rate of 11% per annum after October 1, 1987. Said interest to start July 6, 1987.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to transfer monies from the sources set forth below to help reduce the amount of the S.A.D. #22 assessment to be raised by Taxation — Bickford Trust Fund, Knowlton Trust Fund and \$50,000.00 from Excise Taxes.

Art. 15. To determine what sums of money the Town will raise by taxation for the following purposes: Support of Roads and Bridges — Summer, Support of Roads and Bridges — Winter, Support of the Poor, for Abatements, for Administration.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will raise the sum of \$3,500.00 to assist the NVFD to meet the operating and maintenance expense of the Central Fire House and Fire House No. 1.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$500.00 to defray the expense of the Civil Defense and Fire Alarm System (Red Network).

Art. 18. To see if the Town will raise \$3,000.00 for insurance of the Fire Trucks, Building, and Contents.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$2,000.00 to assist the NVFD with ongoing Truck and Equipment maintenance and updating.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,250.00 to purchase one Scott air pack and one 40 ft. ladder.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will approve the Newburgh Volunteer Fire Department 'Fire Chief' as the Fire Chief of Newburgh.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Fire Chief an annual honorarium of \$750.00 for the responsibility of keeping the fire trucks and equipment in good working order.

Art. 23. To see what the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries. 2400

Art. 24. To see what action the Town wishes to take relative to trash and garbage disposal. 25,000

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the disposal of Septic Sludge. Tom Frost Town 950

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote the following resolution or take any action with respect thereto:

That the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen or a majority thereof, he and they are hereby authorized to borrow from time to time in anticipation of taxes for the taxable year commencing April 1, 1987, a total sum not to exceed \$20,000.00 and for such purpose to issue and sell the promissory note or notes of the Town, said note or notes to be in such form, to bear interest at such rate and to be payable at such date within the taxable year in which they are issued as the Selectmen or a majority thereof may approve, and to be paid out of the money raised by taxation during the year. The proceeds of such note or notes are to be used for and are hereby dedicated to purposes for which the Town may legally raise money or incur debt.

No Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$19,500.00 to have the Town professionally reevaluated.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for the support of Eastern Area Agency on Aging.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$434.00 to help support the Penquis Community Action, Inc. Program.

7 Mem Art. 30. To see if the Town will form a Recreation Committee.

3000 Art. 31. To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for the Recreation Program. Summer Activities

3000 Art. 32. To see what sum the Town will vote to transfer from the Snowmobile Registration Refund to the Newburgh Countryside Riders Snowmobile Club. 642

Art. 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to help support the Hampden Little League Baseball Team.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$434.00 for the support of United Cerebral Palsy.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$105.00 for the support of the Community Health and Counseling Services. *Out*

Art. 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for the support of Eastern Transportation Services. *Out*

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$18.00 for the support of the Maine Publicity Bureau. *Out*

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for the support of Northeast Combat. *Out*

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40.00 for the support of the Veneral Disease Clinic. *Out*

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$88.00 for the support of the American Red Cross in Maine. *Out*

Art. 41. To see what action the Town will take in regard to compensation for the members of the Cemetery Association. *50*

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$50.00 as perpetual care on the Betty and Henry Grover lot in the Hill Cemetery. *✓*

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 as perpetual care on the Roger Luce lot in the Chapman Cemetery. *✓*

Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00 as perpetual care on the Donna and Gerald Tolman lot in the Chapman Cemetery. *✓*

Federal Revenue Sharing payments to	
the Town of Newburgh in 1986	\$ 5,434.00
Interest	1,290.45
Balance Forward	18,231.51
	----- \$ 24,955.96
Transferred to Winter Roads	15,000.00

Balance Feb. 15, 1987	\$ 9,955.96

Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the remaining amount from the above account to the Winter Road Account.

Art. 46. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Registrar of Voters will be at the Newburgh Elementary School on Saturday, March 14, 1987 for the purpose of revising the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Newburgh the 20th day of February, 1987.

Terrance Whitcomb

Galen Hamilton

Andrew Watson

A True Copy Attest:

For the Town of Newburgh



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